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Applicant(s): Tsutomu HONMA et al.

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For: **POLYHYDROXYALKANOATE CONTAINING UNIT HAVING
CYCLOHEXYL STRUCTURE AT SIDE CHAIN, PRODUCTION PROCESS
THEREFOR, AND BINDER RESIN CONTAINING
POLYHYDROXYALKANOATE**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37. C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action dated October 16, 2006, applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following remarks. Authorization to charge applicants a fee for a one month extension of time is included in this response.

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